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Re:

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INFORMATION DISPLAY DEVICE

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Yasushi TANIJIRI

Attorney Docket: 15162/03340

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to INFORMATION DISPLAY DEVICE, Ichiro KASAI, Hiroaki UEDA, and Yasushi TANIJIRI, inventors:

- Specification (72 pages, including 31 claims and an abstract);
- (2)Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (6 pages);
- Formal Drawings (23 sheets); (3)
- (4)Transmittal letter (2 pages) with PrintEFS Patent Application Bibliographic Data (2 pages);

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- (5) Transmittal letter (2 pages) with certified copies of Japanese priority documents nos. 2000-081681 (51 pages), and 2000-081682 (38 pages); and
- (6) Assignment (3 pages) of the invention to MINOLTA CO., LTD., with attached Recordation Form Cover Sheet (1 page) (in duplicate).

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Respectfully submitted,

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## TRANSMITTAL OF PrintEFS PATENT APPLICATION BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA

Submitted herewith is bibliographic data (2 pages) for the above-identified application, in the PrintEFS Version 1.0.1 program format.

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